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EMPRESS, ALTA, THURSDAY, May 23, 1929

Price: \$2.00 Per Year.

United Church

The Church School, 10.30 a.m. Public Worship, 11.30 a.m.
The Sunday morning service will be conducted by the Women's Missionary Society with Mrs. R. L. Arthur in charge. Specially requested solos will be rendered by Mrs. L. H. Shannon and Mrs. Thos. Rowles. Mrs. Wm. Rowles will give the address.

Rev. Geo. A. Shields,
Minister.

High School Ball

Team at Buffalo

The Empress High School ball players were defeated in a game with the Buffalo players, on Saturday. A very nice game was played, the ball being carefully handled by either side.
The Empresses were given a free dance in the evening and a very enjoyable time was had by all.

Now We're In The Air

An Open Letter

Dear friend:

Two nutty navigators are headed for your town, scheduled to land at the Empress theatre, Wednesday afternoon, May 29. We hold the world's record for sustained laughter, and if you can imagine the pair of us as two nutty aeronauts (high-brow for aviation), you'll be in for a treat when "Now We're in the Air" hits town. Louise Brooks is with us, and she'll get you up in the air even if we can't.

Remember us to the folks. We'd like to see them all again.

Art review by
Wallace Beery,
Raymond Hatton.

New Attractions

New features have been added to the Empress sports day on May 30. There will be hobby horses for rides, shows and concessions.

Kodak Time Is Here

Some of the best pictures are to be taken in the Spring-time of the year. Now is the time to get your camera out and secure some good snap shots. We can fill your needs in Kodaks, Supplies, etc. Bring your developing work to us

EMPRESS DRUG CO.

Empire Shopping Week, May 25th To June 1st

The vastness and unity of the British Empire are two things difficult for the average person to realize. In thinking of the Empire, most people think of Great Britain, Canada, Australia, India, South Africa and New Zealand. Unfamiliar places with curious names, seen only once or twice perhaps over a period of years escape general notice. Yet these also form strong links in the great chain of Empire.

They are all sharing in Empire Shopping Week in Canada, 25th of May to 1st of June. Goods produced in Canada are Empire builders and it is well to remember this fact when making our purchases. With the intense competition from foreign products we are apt to lose sight of obvious facts. Empire week is a buy-at-home campaign on an immense scale. A big appeal for the home merchant, Canadian products and Canadian manufacture included with British Empire goods and manufactures.

Drilling for Oil at Eyremore

The Hudson Bay Marland activities have caused a flurry in the Eyremore district for leases. However, the company has blanketed most of the land. They have erected an 85 foot derrick and cable tools are being used for drilling, several thousand feet of casing is on hand. Material is being hauled from Lomond and Brooks.

Tennis Courts In Good Shape

Some one or some persons have been responsible for a lot of good work on the local tennis courts. The courts are in the best shape they have probably been for a number of years. He or they certainly merit the thanks of the rest of the members for the good work done.

Empress Hospital Board Hold Meeting

A meeting of the local hospital board was held in the office of the secretary, D. McEachern, on Tuesday night, when plans for the new hospital were discussed.

A report on the canvass to date showed \$11,500 subscribed for shares. It was felt that a further five or six thousand dollars would be necessary to complete a fully modern up-to-date building, and a vigorous canvass will be undertaken to raise the desired amount.
Incorporation of the hospital into the Department of Public Health for approval, and on completion of incorporation a meeting of the shareholders will be called to elect the Company directors and to submit a report and commendations of the Empress Outpatient Hospital Board.

R.M. Mantario No. 262

Minutes of Meeting of May 4th 1929.

At Trossley School, N.W. 9, 25-26, w. 3, 10 a.m.
Present: Reeve Austrum and a full Council.

The Finance committee examined the accounts presented, the following were found correct:

Western Man. News, 10.50; Empress Express, 32.50; Phone calls, 1.10; Rent, Treas., postage, etc., 11.10; Total, \$64.20.
Empress Hospital: V. Shoul-die, 21.00; J. Badger, 21.00; W. J. Shoul-die, 24.00; L. G. Nuttall, 60.00; Mrs. W. J. Wagner, 180.00; Mrs. M. Bell, 12.00. Total, \$324.00.

Alaska Hospital. — A. Ford, 6.00; F. R. McNally, 18.00; A. M. Anderson, 78.00; W. J. Marchant, 6.00. Total, 108.00.
Batonika Hospital. — March 31st, 36.00.

L. C. Walker, roads, VI, m., 55.00; O. L. Grainger, ditto, 15.50; Garret Hughes, ditto, 2.00; J. Brant, culverts, in Div. V, 10.35; M. Nash, roads, IV, m., 20.00; C. H. Sargent, roads, III, m., 10.00; A. C. Siff, roads, I, 10.00; Alaska Hardware, mice, meal, 80.0; Strome, mice, machinery, 5.00. Full total, 667.85.

Hawtin — That minutes of previous meetings be confirmed.

Hawtin — That the Secretary write Inspector Carlson of the Dept. of Highways in regard to the Alaska Eyre road, and request that he attend the next meeting of the Council; if the

A Pleasant Surprise

Mrs F. G. Sandereck held a surprise party at her home in honour of her mother-in-law, Mrs. Sandereck, on May 17. There were twenty-nine guests present, and Mrs. Sandereck was the recipient of a number of nice and useful presents. A pleasant time was spent, after which a delectable lunch was served. It was Mrs. Sandereck's birthday, and she was more than delighted with the pleasant surprise and celebration of this event which her daughter-in-law had prepared for her.

date of meeting is not convenient to him that the date of meeting be changed to one on which he can attend, the members of Council agreeing to waive notice of meeting.

Hawtin — That bond for J. Adams as Municipal Bailiff be renewed and the premium of \$5 be paid.

Correspondence was read from R. M. Snipe Lake as to the inclusion of this Municipality in a pure-bred sire area and anti-T.B. area for cattle.

B.T.B. — That this Municipality is not prepared to go into this at the present time.

Correspondence from the Batonia Agricultural Society was read requesting an increased grant for the Agricultural fair. Austrum — That a grant of \$100 be made to the Alaska Agricultural Society and \$75 to Batonia Society. That it be pointed out that last year the total Municipal grants to Batonia were only 194.75, of which this Municipality contributed 75.00, and we are not prepared to increase the grant until the other Municipalities adjoining Batonia have increased theirs.

Carried, Co. Batty dissenting. Correspondence was read from the Department of Municipal Affairs in regard to the vote proposed to be taken in regard to the two schemes proposed for a Municipal office and Council Chamber, stating that only one-by-law could be submitted to the electors. That a questionnaire could be submitted at the same time in regard to the location, but that this would not be binding on the Council.

Hawtin — That minutes No. 2 and 3 of special meeting of April 10th in regard to the above be resolved.

Hawtin — That the offer of the L.O.L. 2428 be re-submitted, with the understanding if it was rejected at this meeting it would be withdrawn. Co. Hawtin submitted an estimate from W. G. Atkinson, for put-

Sask Provincial Elections Thursday, June 6th

Announcement has been made that the Saskatchewan provincial elections would be held Thursday, June 6. Nominations day will be Thursday, May 30, when candidates for the 53 provincial ridings will be nominated. Elections in the two most northerly ridings of Ile a la Crosse and Cumberland will be deferred.

The standing of the parties in the sixth Saskatchewan Legislative Assembly gave supporters of the government 33 seats, Conservatives five seats, Progressives five seats, Labor one seat.

ing the building in repair and making such alterations as would enable it to be used for the purpose suggested of 688.00. This does not include a basement, any equipment of doors for the vault, or heating.

Before the vote was taken, the Secretary stated that he wished to put it on record in order to place himself in a position where there could be no room for any rumours that he was interested for personal reasons as to the location of the proposed office, and that the only consideration in regard to the location was the best interests of the Municipality. He wished to submit his resignation to take effect when the new office was ready for use, wherever it might be placed. This would leave the position vacant and the Council entirely free to fix the conditions as to the office location, residence, etc. He would wish, however, to reserve the right to apply for the position again if he wished to do so when he knew what those conditions would be, and if he was of the opinion that he could fulfill them. His object in taking this action was in order that the matter could be decided with only one consideration in view, as he had been asked by several ratepayers whether the

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Anglican Services

Trinity Sunday, May 26th.
St. Mary's, Empress, 8 p.m. Sunday School.
Fortrevere United Church: 11 a.m., Matins and Sermon. Wynote School: 3 p.m., Evensong and Sermon.
B. A. Torrance, Incumbent.

"The Smart Set"

Tommy Van Haren is the typical rich man's son, a hly of the field, who tells not but who can play polo. He is to play on the American team for the International Cup, and is very cocky about it, winning the disapprobation of the girl he loves. Through his own folly he is taken off the team and disapproved by his father, who sells his string of polo ponies, including his favorite, Pronto. Then Tommy gets wise to himself. During the great match the American goes badly. Nelson, the captain of the team, is thrown and injured and asks that Tommy be put back on the team, though he knows Tommy to be his rival for the girl's affections. Owing to an injury received while rescuing Pronto from a burning stable and the fact that he is riding a strange pony, Tommy plays badly. His little colored groom with the girl's permission, brings Pronto to the field. Then things begin to happen in favor of the team and the story is concluded with a pleasing climax.

On and after June 1st, the Empress Branch of the Canadian Bank of Commerce will be closed from 12 Noon to 1 P.M. each day, except Saturdays, when the office will close for the day at 12 Noon.

Postal and hotel license inspectors were in town, Wednesday.

PAINTING & PAPER HANGING

Have your Painting and Decorating done by competent workmen. You get a good job and enjoy the satisfaction of knowing that the work is done right.

"Blackie" Woods, Empress Hotel

EMPRESS THEATRE

This Week:
WM. HAINES

In the Popular Comedy

"The Smart Set"

You will like this picture.

Prices: 50c. and 25c.

Next Week:
CLARA BOW

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Whoopie! GET YOUR MAN And Get A Thrill!

Prices: 50c. and 25c.



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We will be glad to help you and figure your house requirements or alterations that you may want done.

Phone 58

The Empress Lumber Yards
J. N. ANDERSON, prop.

FORD IS AWAY AHEAD OF THEM ALL

(From Automotive Daily News, New York, May 11, 1929)

Ford Is Away Ahead Of Them All

Wayne County, Michigan, U.S.A. —

Last four months, 1929 Sales: 14,505, in 1928, 2,259

The next nearest competitor, shows as follows:

Last four months, 1929 Sales: 6,814, in 1928, 5,413.

This shows how Ford has gained in sales, so far this year, and how the Americans appreciate real car values.

We carry a full stock of Model T. and Model A. parts, this should be worth considering when you buy a Car. Can you get service and repairs when needed?

N. D. Storey, the Ford Man

The finest tea you can buy—Red Rose Orange Pekoe. Made from juicy, flavor filled leaves—three days in bud. Every package guaranteed.

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RED ROSE ORANGE PEKOE is extra good

In the best package—Clean, bright aluminum

Canada At War!

Canada is at war, and with the passing of winter, operations are being renewed and extended on all fronts against the common enemy. Hence, it is not warfare directed against any other people or nation, nor, in its final analysis, is it a destructive, life-taking, money-losing campaign in which the Canadian people are engaged. Rather, it is constructive, life-giving, money-making battle that is being waged.

The war to which reference is made is an unceasing one. It can never end, and victory can never be wholly complete. On the other hand, unless the battle is fought, and renewed from year to year, defeat for mankind is sure and inescapable. It is a case where eternal vigilance is the price that must be paid for life, liberty and happiness.

It is a war against dirt, disease, insects, bacteria. In the spring of the year, as snow disappears and the frost leaves the ground, exposing the accumulations of winter, it is imperative that every householder, every community, “clean up.” Failure to do so may, and in all probability will, result in an epidemic of sickness, not to speak of the unwholesome effect upon the mentality of people living amidst unsightly, disagreeable surroundings. The necessity of an annual spring “clean up,” and the maintenance of clean surroundings, and sanitary conditions throughout the warm summer months, is applicable alike to the farm and farm home, and the urban community and home.

The danger of the common house fly is now too well known to require emphasis. It is the greatest distributor of the filth and disease breeding germs upon which it thrives and breeds in millions. Destroy its breeding grounds and the battle is more than half won. When the first fly appears in an appearance, kill it, and you will have saved the trouble of swatting hundreds later on.

Then there is that most unpropitious little humming bird, the mosquito, which turns so many of our long and lovely summer evenings and our beautiful summer resorts and sports grounds into places of torture. By taking early action this almost universal pest can be largely controlled. For years the citizens of Winnipeg have had made miserable for them by mosquitoes, and each season witnesses more energetic and concerted effort to destroy them. Regins, no worse sufferer than other places, is this year, under the direction of the Kiwanis Club, assisted by other service clubs, the health authorities, Boy Scouts, and other organizations, taking part in the battle.

The mosquito breeds by tens of millions in stagnant water. Pools of stagnant water, slowly drying up sloughs, partially filled ditches, cannot be drained, nor can their existence be wholly prevented, but through the simple expedient of scattering coal oil, and other oils, in these stagnant waters, these millions of potential mosquitoes will be destroyed. Regins is surveying the city and its surroundings from the air, thus detecting every spot of stagnant water, and these are to be impregnated with oil. If all our towns and villages locate these pools of stagnant water in and about them and take the action here suggested, the mosquito menace will be reduced.

When cleaning old oil out of your motor car, tractor engine, or other machinery, do not throw it away. Save it, and spread it about in any stagnant water in your vicinity, and sink your old oil-cooked rags with a stone in such pools. By so doing you will prevent the breeding of mosquitoes.

This great and holy war is being waged in other directions and in even more intensive fashion. Departments of agriculture, and the research departments of our Universities and the National Research Bureau in laboratories and in the fields, have for some years been engaged in the task of finding a means of eradicating rust from wheat, which takes its toll of tens of millions of dollars from the farmers of the prairies. According to latest authentic reports gratifying progress has been made, and the experts engaged on this work are now fairly confident they are on the right track, and that before long a rust resistant wheat will be developed, fully equal to other wheats in its early ripening ability, in yield per acre, and in its bread making qualities. Such a victory will bring huge profits for the time and money expended. It is a form of constructive warfare which will reimburse Canada for many of its losses occasioned by destructive human war.

Agricultural and health departments of governments are in the van of this great, never-ending battle. The larger municipalities and many other communities are awakening to their responsibility. Semi-public organizations of many kinds are joining in the fray. As was the case in the Great War, scientists are doing their part, and doing it well, as the Great War developed into a struggle between peoples, rather than armies and navies, in which every man and woman had a duty to perform, so in this other war in which Canada is engaged, everybody must be enlisted if the largest measure of success and victory is to be achieved. It is a war which recognizes no defined boundary lines; it must be waged everywhere; if the enemy remains unlocated in any one place or district, or even on any individual homestead, victories elsewhere will be of little avail. It is a universal war, demanding the active co-operation and alert vigilance of all.

“Tidbits” is said to be “decreasing.” Maybe it’s because so many things that used to be considered crazy aren’t any more.

No jumpy feeling
NOW when I drive
through
traffic



Nothing relieves tension so effectively as Wrigley's. The act of chewing as motorcars have discovered, has a gentle soothing effect. The healthful clean taste of Wrigley's refreshes the mouth and steadies the nerves.



W. M. U. 1783

Canadian Poultry Record Good

British West Indies and Other Countries Satisfied With Shipments

Breeding poultry carrying record of performance certificates are continuing wider and wider in demand as their qualities become known. Some good shipments have been going forward to the British West Indies. The most recent shipment consisted of seven record of performance approved White Leghorn cockerels. This order followed a larger one of ninety-one birds shipped to Trinidad last September. H. S. Arkell, Dominion Live Stock Commissioner, announces that reports from the purchasers of these birds indicate that Canadian-bred poultry are giving every satisfaction in the southern tropics.

RADIANT GIRLHOOD

Comes Through Rich, Red Health-Giving Blood

A girl with a full-blooded body and rich nerves has the foundation of an active, healthy life. Allow her to have the very prime of life, her health and general weakness may be the result. Many women who have restored their health and vitality are too frequently sufferers of head-aches, back-aches, nervousness, tired and breathless, because of anemia. Girlhood stealthily attacked them. Fortunately there is a remedy which may be had by every woman. Tired, worn-out women and delicate girls who lack the self-help of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are grateful for the way in which these pills have restored their health and vitality. This effective tonic and nerve restorer always helps to build plenty of rich, red blood that speeds up in end to anemia. A man, delicate girl, or tired, weary woman soon becomes brighter when this new blood courses through the system. Color comes to her cheeks and lips; her appetite and her nerves are quickened, and she becomes vital and active again. The following is an example from a woman who writes: “What these pills have done for me and can do for many other women. I feel all the time, did not sleep well and had a poor appetite. I have been taking six boxes I feel like a new person and will not be without the pills again.”

You can get the pills from your druggist, or by mail at 50 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Alberta Cool For East
It is indicated that Alberta's coal shipments to Ontario during the special rate period will aggregate 200,000 tons.

Nervous and Run Down

The Least Noise Would Bother Her

Mrs. R. Burton, Oshawa, Ont., writes: “Three years ago I was so nervous and run down I could hardly sleep. The least noise would bother me. It would bother me so.”

“A friend advised me to take MILBURN'S HEART NERVE PILLS.”

After taking two boxes I began to feel stronger, looked better and the color came back into my cheeks, and now I am feeling fine again.”

Price 50c a box at all druggists and dealers, or mailed direct on receipt of price by The T. Milburn Co., Ltd., Toronto, Ont.

Scientists in Russia are working on a device to keep the blood of a person in circulation and thus prolong life after the heart and lungs have ceased to function.

TIED, WEAK, NERVOUS WOMAN BENEFITED

Praises Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

Asbestos Mines, Quebec.—“After the birth of my second child, I was so nervous and weak, and my nerves were so bad, that I was unable to do anything. I took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and I feel like a new woman now. I have gained weight and feel like a new woman now.”

“We are now,” announced the effect, “passing through a rural hamlet.”

“Oh,” exclaimed the sweet young thing, “I thought a hamlet was a little pig!”

Neuralgia succumbs to Minard's Liniment.

Head Colds Vicks Vapoars

Over 21 MILLION JARS USED YEARLY

BABY'S OWN SOAP

Recipes For This Week

(By Betty Barclay)

LUNCHEON DELIGHT

4 eggs.
1 cup grated cheese.
1/2 cup soft bread crumbs.
1/2 teaspoon salt.
1 cup white sauce.
1 Few grains cayenne.

Break the eggs into buttered baking dish and cook in hot oven until they begin to turn white around the edges. Then cover eggs with white sauce, and over this the mixture of crumbs, cheese and seasoning. Brown in very hot oven, so eggs will not be overcooked by time cheese is brown.

PEANUT RICE SALAD

3 tablespoons rice.
1 cup orange juice.
1/2 cup finely chopped peanuts.
1/2 cup cream cheese.

Wash rice and cook for 7 minutes in boiling salted water; drain. Cook with orange juice and cream cheese. Boil until rice is tender. Cool, mix with finely-chopped peanuts; sprinkle with salt and arrange on lettuce leaves with cream cheese balls. Serve with cream mayonnaise or French fruit dressing.

Canada Wins the Banana Trade

Has Largest Banana Carriers Afloat Under Any Flag

The largest banana carriers afloat under any flag is the record claimed by the “Lady Somers” and the “Lady Rodney,” the two new vessels of the Canadian National Steamships between Canadian ports and the islands.

The ships are elaborately decorated, and the passenger accommodation is complete in every detail. Particular care has been paid to all details of the cargo space and the ship is completely insulated. The “Lady Somers” can carry fruit and vegetables requiring different temperatures. For cool climate the ship is equipped with devices to raise the interior temperature when necessary.

Frost Kills Insects

Hard Winter Expected To Be Factor For Eliminating Pests

The winter of 1923-24 was a hard one on insects, scientists at the Dominion entomological laboratory at the University of Saskatchewan believe. A self-recording thermometer, the bulb of which was three inches below the soil level, registered 11 degrees below zero on March 1, the lowest recorded during the past ten years.

The effect will be severe on insects as the majority hibernate at a depth of two to four inches. The lowest temperature recorded beneath the soil in the winter of 1920-21 was 14 degrees above.

Miller's Worm Powders do not need the after-effect of castor oil or any purgative to complete their thoroughness, because they are thorough in themselves. One dose of them, and they will be found palatable by all children, will end the worm trouble by making the stomachs bowels unattractive to the parasites. And not only this, but the powders will be the most beneficial influences in the digestive organs.

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Canada and Disarmament

Furthest Advanced Of All Nations On the Road To Peace

Of all the nations represented when the League of Nations preparatory commission on disarmament convened at Geneva, Canada claims to have advanced furthest along the road to disarmament. In it, all forms of armament, including frontier protection are taken into consideration.

Canada is represented in the deliberations by Dr. W. A. Riddell, Canadian advisory officer at Geneva, with Col. George Vanier as technical adviser. The Canadian delegation may possibly have some suggestions to make at a later stage in the proceedings, their part being largely dependent on the turn of events.

CORNS

Relief in 2 Minutes

Just a drop or two of Putnam's Corn Extractor, and the pain goes away. Relief is almost instantaneous. Removing corns with “PUTNAM'S” is so easy, it is almost sure to painless. Thousands use this wonderful remedy, and say it is the best. Do not wait until you have a corn. Putnam's Corn Extractor, the one sure relief for corns. Sold at every drug store.

Exports Tea In Lumps

China exports tea in solid lumps, like bricks, for consumption in Tibet and Siberia. The tea-leaves are pulverized, mixed with water, and moulded into hard cakes. The bricks weigh about 5 lb. each. In this form the tea is carried to the consumers, and it is accepted less easily.

A Real Asthma Relief

Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Asthma Remedy has never been advertised by extravagant statements. Its claims are very respect indeed, when judged by the benefits which it produces. It is a real relief and permanent remedy when you buy this remedy and you will not have cause for disappointment. It gives permanent relief in many cases where other so-called remedies have utterly failed.

Train Of Tractors

A special train of tractors, valued at \$400,000, recently reached Regina. There were 250 machines in all, occupying 70 railway cars. The tractors were distributed to farmer buyers in Saskatchewan and Alberta.

Religious Groups In House

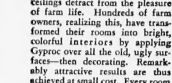
Roman Catholics form the largest religious group in the Canadian House of Commons, about 30 per cent. of the total membership. Adherents of the United Church come next and Presbyterians follow.

Keep Your Farm Up-to-Date

This Inexpensive Way

For Farm Homes

Faded or cracked walls and ceilings detract from the pleasure of farm life. Hundreds of farm homes, this year, have transformed their rooms into bright, colorful interiors by applying Gypsol over all the old surfaces—then decorating. Remarkably attractive results are thus achieved at small cost. Every room becomes much more beautiful, livable and up-to-date.



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Gypsol lined barns and poultry houses provide the best protection against fire, cold, heat and vermin that your stock can have. You can erect strong, rigid Gypsol sheds yourself in short time and at little expense. After a few months you will be delighted with the proved health of your cattle and the increased laying capacity of your flock.

Utilizing Waste Space

Those many, inaccessible waste spaces in your attic and basement. Why not convert them into extra rooms by erecting Gypsol walls and ceilings? You can have a playroom, a laundry room, a workshop, a special preserving closet or any other kind of room you wish.

For fast, economical, fire-proof construction on the farm there is nothing so superior as Gypsol. Write us for information or see your nearest Gypsol dealer.

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AVOID IMITATIONS NOW

Rearing Game Birds

Business Being Taken Up As A Side Line By Many Farmers

The breeding and rearing of game birds and other species of ornamental waterfowl is being taken up by many farmers as a sideline in Alberta and also in Saskatchewan, Ontario and British Columbia. According to “The Game Breeder” (Canadian Department), the supplies of certain species of birds, both for ornamental and stock purposes, cannot cope with the demand.

Mothers can easily know when their children are troubled with worms, and they lose no time in applying a reliable remedy—Mother's Worm Expeller.

Manitoba Farm Loans

Three hundred and four applications for loans totalling \$733,242 were made to the Manitoba Farm Loans Association during the fiscal year ending April 30th, 1924, according to a report tabled in the Legislature. This makes 9,420 applications, aggregating \$28,619,435 filed since the commencement of the association's activities in April, 1921.

Medicine Chests

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Trans-Canada Air Service Outlined

Postmaster-General Has Presented Ambitious Program To Government

Hon. P. J. Veniot, postmaster-general, outlined an ambitious program for a trans-Canada air mail route when the House of Commons went into committee of supply, and considered the outside service vote of the post office department. This service includes all air mail routes in the Dominion, Mr. Veniot declared. The total vote, including salaries and allowances, is \$34,938,650. Progress was reported.

Under the sub-heading of mail service, which includes all air routes, the amount of the vote was given as \$16,305,000. Mr. Veniot explained that during the past few months the postal service had extended its mail routes to almost every corner of the Dominion. During the coming summer it was hoped to connect Toronto with Buffalo and Windsor. Any towns or cities along the route which provided landing fields for mail planes could benefit from this service. The department was not intent to construct such landing fields itself. Air mail service to the Pacific coast ports was not contemplated for the present year. Mr. Veniot declared that surveys of mail routes had not yet been completed by the experts of the department of national defence. As soon as these surveys were finished and the feasibility of the far western link in the trans-Canada service reported upon, it could be decided when and how the complete service could be given.

Increased Wheat Stocks

Quantity Of Grain On Hand Shows Increase Over Last Year

The quantity of wheat in Canada on March 31, last, amounted to 244,323,000 bushels, an increase of 18,115,106 bushels over the corresponding date last year. The figures which were issued by the department of trade and commerce, are based on returns from elevators, four mills, railway companies and crop correspondents.

The 1929 wheat stocks on hand comprise 17,817,800 bushels in elevators, 6,046 mills and about 20,517,000 bushels in farmers' hands, and 12,615,474 bushels in transit by rail. Stocks on hand of other grains are shown as follows:

Oats 188,071,242 bushels against 175,817,800 bushels in 1928; barley 94,455,030 bushels compared with 92,121,180 bushels. Of this total, 20,881,000 bushels are still in farmers' hands.

The returns show an appreciable drop in the quantity of flax seed with 1,718,824 bushels in stock against 2,824,493 bushels in 1928. Rye also showed a drop with a 1929 total of 6,648,145 bushels compared with 7,945,901 a year ago.

An Old Scottish Custom

"Burning the Clavie" Supposed To Ensure Good Fishing Season

"Burning the clavie," an ancient custom, was recently observed at a number of fishing towns in Scotland. The principal celebration was at Burghhead, on the Moray Firth, where it is a community event. The clavie was a tar barrel, with a fir pole, surmounted by barrel staves, fixed in it. It was lighted, carried round the town, and then placed on an ancient stone on a nearby hill top. Finally it was thrown down the hill side, still burning, and there was a scramble by the crowd to secure the fragments. The ceremony is believed to insure a good fishing season.

First Lady—Does your cook give you any imperfections?

Second Lady—No, I pay her £1 a week for it.



Man in pond: "I have just let a man that I would not swim across this pond."

What man? The one who is running away with your car?—Euen Humor, Madrid.

W. N. U. 1783

Big Ben Seventy Years Old

And Famous Bell Will Likely Be Ringing For Centuries

Big Ben, the famous clock in the House of Commons which now supplies the time by wireless to thousands of homes throughout the British Isles, and is listened to by Englishmen in Australia, India, and other far lands as a link with home, has now rung the hours for seventy years. Della have a habit of lasting for long periods—Big Ben, the predecessor of Big Ben, rang at Westminster for 100 years—so that Big Ben will probably be ringing centuries hence despite the fact that it was cracked a few months after it was first hung and has remained so to this day. The bell is bolted to a beam and, in consequence, on one now known the real tone of which it would be capable under different circumstances. Despite this the volume of tone from the bell is enormous and calls for much careful attention from the officials of the British Broadcasting Company. The microphone from the House of Commons is suspended from the roof of the House of Commons, and the reverberations before they are put on the air for long-distance transmission. Occasionally the booming is loud, but lately, it has been discovered that this is due to the curiosity of the pigeons who are Big Ben's neighbors in the tower and who sometimes disturb the wrapping.

Dumas Wrote Cook Book

French Author Created New Dishes As Well As Fiction Characters

The last of the books that emanated from the pen of Alexandre Dumas, the great French writer, was a cook book. It contained recipes for preparing eggs in fifty-six different ways. The famous author was as happy over the perfection of an original dish as he was at the success of a new character in his novel. The value he himself placed on his cookery is revealed in his own words: "I see with pleasure that my culinary reputation is increasing, and promising soon to efface my literary reputation."

At a time when food-poisoning was a pleasant diversion of an enemy, it is said Louis XVIII. was very adept at preparing his own meals. To the fourth ear of Dumas, we have that staple of picnics and parties, the sandwich, originated by the earl, who caused to be brought to him at the gaming table—having such a passion for gambling that he could not take the time to dine—two slices of bread with a slice of cold venison. This did not acquire a lasting monument. Cardinal Richelieu, so tradition has it, caused the creation of Mayonnaise.

Animals Weep Like Humans

Even Elephants "Weep" When Escape Is Cut Off Or They Are Wounded

Though we cannot always be sure of the cause, it is a fact that many animals weep just as human beings do, and often for similar reasons. Dogs, monkeys, and elephants all weep, the last-named being quite "cry-babies" when wounded or when escape is cut off. Calves shed tears very easily, and all the cud-chewing animals have the power to wring their necks and heave their heads, and are approaching, according to the statement of sportsmen, who also tell us that the giraffe is equally sensitive, and will regard with tearful eyes the one who has wounded it. Many thoughtful boys, and men too, for that matter, seem to think animals have no feeling, and that cruel treatment does not matter much. It matters a great deal, even in the case of animals that cannot relate themselves with tears, a glance at the creature's eyes should be sufficient to indicate the suffering they are enduring.

The Art Of Flying

Those who have learned to fly are unanimous in saying how easily the art is acquired. It is just this ease which is one of the dangers, because when proficiency is only attained by labor and tears the technical rules of a craft are implanted so deeply in a man's nature, involved in the habit of an apprentice's memory that they become part of his instinctive self.

The Farmer's Lot

The agriculturist who laments the fact that he has to sell a couple of steers when he wants to buy farm machinery fails to realize that there are other forms of wealth than dollars and cents. His herd is his bank account. Whether the farmer has to work harder than the average city dweller is debatable. At least he has, so a rule more to show for his labor than the average city dweller whose lot he is sometimes prone to envy.

Victorian Order Of Nurses

Members Of Order Paid In Neighborhood Of \$600,000 Visits Last Year

Three \$100-badges and brooches, long large in the equipment of the Victorian Order nurse. And yet, if one were to conduct a sort of "Ask Me Another" contest on this matter, it is almost certain that few there would be who could describe in detail the insignia of the nurses in blue.

The Victorian Order Of Nurses, of the same insignia, was founded in commemoration of Her Gracious Majesty Queen Victoria's Jubilee. It is fitting therefore, that the nurses carrying on their work under the Charter granted by Queen Victoria should include in their uniform distinguishing marks of their royal connection.

Victorian Order buttons are bronze, small and round. The letters "V.O.N." appear in the centre surrounded by a garland of maple leaves, and surmounted by the crown. The hat badge is also of bronze and is quite large. It consists of the letters "V.O.N." in broad manner, flanked on either side by maple leaves and surmounted by the crown. The brooch, worn by all Victorian Order Nurses as a tie pin, consists of a bar from which is suspended by a link a medallion of slightly oval design, containing the words "Victorian Order Of Nurses for Canada" around the edge, and serving to enclose the letters "V.O.N." in open work, surmounted by the crown.

The ladies of the three \$100-badges are hand working according to figures recently compiled, Victorian Order Of Nurses throughout Canada, in 1928 paid in the neighborhood of 600,000 visits. Of these 14,070 were maternity cases. Another way of putting that last figure is to say that Victorian Order nurses were in attendance at 6 per cent of the births in Canada in 1928.

One Man's Ration

Frenchman Figures Out Total Consumption In A Lifetime

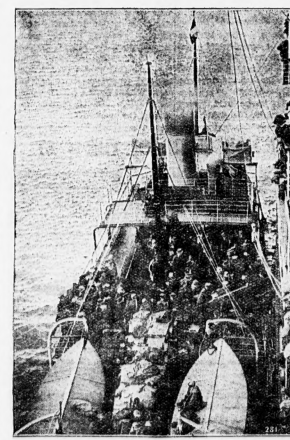
How much does a person eat in an ordinary lifetime. A French statistician has estimated that a man of 70 has consumed a whole trout of nourishment, 20 wagons of five tons burden each.

These hundred tons include ten of bread, one and three-quarter tons of meat, 12 thousand eggs, 3,500 lbs. of tea. The salads eaten would cover a three-acre field.

One Of Life's Problems Solved

The biggest problem in a man's life, not considering his wife, is the disposal of used safety razor blades. In the planning of the 250 room addition to the Chateau Laurier, the Canadian National Railway hotel at Ottawa, which was recently completed, the problem was solved. On the wall of each bathroom in the new wing, there is a slot to receive used blades. The number of painful injuries to the fingers of the hotel staff has been reduced thereby.

New Canadians Embark



The new Canadian Pacific 20,000 ton liner, "Duchess of York," on her maiden voyage to Canada from Liverpool, carried a large number of British settlers under the "Families, Boys, and Ten Pound Schemes."

These new Canadians from Ireland are sent embarking from the tender "Robina" of Belfast, to the "Duchess of York."

Mysterious Big Lake Trout In New National Park Lake

Indians Report Strange Monster In Montreal Lake, The New Holiday Resort At Prince Albert

Ogego, mysterious marine monster of Okanagan Lake, in British Columbia, has a rival and must look to his laurels if he is to retain his place in the pan as the authentic "sea-serpent" of Canada's inland lakes. The challenger is none other than Nanamayah, smaller in reputed size but none the less mysterious which inhabits Montreal Lake, one of the many bodies of fishing water in which are comprised within the limits of the new Prince Albert National Park, lying to the north of here.

Nanamayah has never been reported seen by white man, but he has none the less a verified existence, for he has been reported by almost every Indian trapper and fisherman who has made this lake the scene of his life. During the few years which have proceeded the reservation of the territory as a national park, while white men have not seen the monster they have suffered from his presence, for according to the Indians who have reported the existence of Nanamayah, the monster has been responsible for great havoc among the nets and other paraphernalia of both red and white fishermen during past years.

Nanamayah is reported to be a great lake trout, whose length varies upward from thirty feet, according to the stories of the Indians who have reported seeing him from time to time, and his girth is in proportion to his size. Like all genuine fish of his type, there are legends connected with him, one of which is that he can never be taken by ordinary fishing gear until a charm is placed in his mouth. The Indians who have chosen to inhabit him, he has chosen to inhabit. While he has not yet been seen by white man's eyes, this situation may be altered during the next few years as Prince Albert Park is becoming a favored summer resort, and at least he will provide an authentic ally for the unsuccessful fisherman, for he is the ideal "Big One" to get away, breaking any and all fishing tackle.

Search For Gas

Large Sum To Be Expended In Drilling Operations This Year

The Hudson's Bay Oil and Gas Company will spend \$250,000 this year, mainly in search of gas. It will drill a \$100,000 well at Basman, the site of the Canadian Pacific Railway's great irrigation dam on the Bow River. If sufficient gas is found it is proposed to pipe a supply to Regina. Another \$100,000 well will be sunk at Champion, Alberta, and \$50,000 will be spent in drilling in the Viking field where Edmonton secures its gas supply.

The Gelfer—"They're all afraid to play me. What do you think my chances are?"

The Girl—"Oh, I don't know. It might be your face, or perhaps, it's just your general appearance."

Perennial Climbing Plants

The Virginia Creeper Has A Prominent Place In The West

A greater use of climbing plants would add beauty to many of the homes in the country. House plants, the beauty of architecture, and the beauty of the landscape, can be made very attractive by the planting of some of the hardy climbers. Vines, such as the Virginia Creeper, without fences, rocks, and old stumps of trees covered with climbing plants will place the appearance of the place that it will hardly be recognized by one who has known it before. Fortunately there are many hardy native climbers available in most districts and most nurseries carry suitable kinds at low prices. For many years a large number of kinds of these plants have been under test by the Central Experimental Farm system. The results of these trials are contained in Bulletin No. 30, "Ornamental Trees, Shrubs, and Woody Climbers." Among the most favored of these for hardiness, rapidity of growth, and permanent greenness, is the Virginia Creeper. This vine, Ampelopsis quinquefolia, native of the colder parts of North America, is a climber of great value for its rapid growth and its great beauty for its foliage. It is a climber of the Virginia Creeper known as the Self-climber or Heavy Virginia Creeper, which attaches itself firmly to brick and other walls, requiring no special support. This variety, found growing all over the Dominion, is also found in the Eastern Provinces, as well as in British Columbia. Many other attractive climbers or ornamentals are mentioned in the bulletin, and recommended in this publication, issued by the Publications Branch of the Department of Agriculture, at Ottawa.

Old Dobbin Still Popular

Farm Horses Still Holding Out Against General Use Of Motor Cars

Notwithstanding the constant increase in the general use of the motor car and power farm machinery among farmers in Canada, Old Dobbin, as the farm horse is known, is still a very popular animal. The statistics compiled by the Canadian Government Bureau of Statistics show that in 1928 there were 3,376,781 farm horses in the Dominion valued at \$225,669,000. Compared with 1925, the figures show a decrease of only 17,047 in the number, but an increase of \$9,705,000 value.

Virginia Creeper in Canada at the end of 1928 numbered 8,703,272 valued at \$502,800,000. Much cows included in the total numbered 5,792,272 valued at \$108,000,000.

The value of all kinds of live stock on Canadian farms at the end of last year is placed at \$861,802,000, an increase of \$22,666,000 over the 1927 value.

A Tree's Journey

Watching Its Progress Through The Seasons Is Most Interesting

One can become very fond of a tree that he has seen grow from a little sapling until it has attained impressive size, solid as if it had been and would be there forever. It is interesting to accompany a tree on its journey through the seasons—as it buds into leaf, as its foliage grows dense and birds make nests in its secret places, as you sit in its shade during the heat of August, as its leaves turn brown and then fall one by one and hundreds by hundreds, and a tree is fine when it stands gaunt, bare and defiant in winter, braving the gales, fighting back against every storm, standing alone and, whatever happens, confident of its future and the regaining after a time of its life's desire.

A Logical Answer

The little local paper had just run a contest to determine which inhabitant of the country was the oldest. An old negro man, Uncle Moses, was the winner. A reporter was sent out to interview him.

"To what," asked the Inquiring Reporter, "do you attribute your long life, Uncle Moses?"

"Well, sah," answered the old negro, "Ah tribune dat to be old things. But I reckon, sah, it's mostly because I done been living for a long time."

Landlady—"Your bottle of whiskey is finished, sir. Shall I get you another?"

Lodger—"Well, it's about your turn, isn't it?"

Amber is petrified from certain tones. Romans called it grumblings.

Business In Healthy Condition

Unprecedented Industrial Activity Is Seen Throughout Canada

"Business in Canada emerges from the winter season in a generally healthy condition. The most outstanding features of the last few months have been record exports of western grain and industrial activity on a scale never equaled before in this country," states the latest issue of the commercial letter published by the Canadian Bank of Commerce.

"This unprecedented industrial activity is partly attributable to the branch line extension and replacement of plans of the two major railway companies, but it reflects also the large orders placed by these organizations for rolling stock and other equipment, the requirements of manufacturers of farm implements, automobiles and industrial machinery, particularly that needed for mining, and the increased quantity of steel required for general construction purposes. The latter continues. 'Other industries operating at a high level are those allied with general construction and the manufacture of automobiles, and those which make house furnishings, food products and certain popular lines of wearing apparel. The cotton mills are more actively employed than for some time past and there is a strong demand for silk goods.

"Attention is also focused on the opening of the agricultural season. Live stock has come through the winter in a condition better than average, and fallow grain and fruit trees are healthier than at this time last year; the spring movement of wheat on the Great Lakes will commence with a fairly strong market. The land prepared for crops in the prairie provinces exceeds that of 1928 by about 1,600,000 acres, mainly because of the favourable conditions for ploughing last summer."

No Incentive To Think

Mechanical Advance Of The Times Doing Away With Individual Effort

In the near future we shall probably see what now we only hear. The substitution of a machine made recently here by Mr. Meighen, which was acknowledgement of the mechanical advance of these times. He was doubtful that there had been a corresponding increase in our ability to think.

While the minority of inventive minds does the thinking for the rest of us, what incentive is there to think? The world and humanity share a very long history. It is ready to the abyssal darkness of unrecorded events. So far as we know, there has never been any royal road to thought, nor has any brilliant artist conceived a scheme for the promotion of universal intellectual stimulation. Radio is a great joy and it helps the busy man, but we might be better off if we moved the mountain back again and walked to it. A delicious idea is a wonderful saver, but you can't get the same flavor you find in the home-cooked lamb and eggs—London Free Press.

Farmers Moving To British Columbia

Quite a number of experienced farmers are arriving from Germany and settling in the Rock Creek district of British Columbia. There are also a number moving in from the Prairie Provinces, taking up land adjoining the German settlement at Kettle Valley, B.C. All told, about 150 settlers are expected this spring in that district, some of them bringing in considerable capital.

Miette Hot Springs

The waters of Miette Hot Springs in Jasper National Park, Alberta, resemble those of the Sulphur Springs at Banff, but are several degrees hotter. These springs are situated about 12 miles from the railway and are reached by a good trail way.

"You and your husband are always quarrelling. I have never found you quarrelling."

"Yes, we do. He wants a divorce and so do I"—Euen Humor, Madrid.



War Declared on Gophers, Crows and Magpies

Cash prizes ranging from 100 to 2000 will be paid by the Department of Agriculture in various competitions in the campaign for the destruction of gophers, crows and magpies during the present season. Details of the various competitions which have as their object the protection of farm crops and insectivorous and game birds can be secured from the office of Benj. Lawton, Game Commissioner of the Dept. of Agriculture.

J. Lawcock now has his Pool Hall on cement walls and the interior re-plastered. The hall will also be furnace-heated. It is a most decided improvement.

Roy and Mrs. G. A. Shields and Baby, left on Tuesday, by car for Calgary, where the former will attend the Southern Alberta Conference of the United Church.

R. M. Mantario—cont.

location of the office would make any difference to him as to continuing in the work or otherwise and he wished this to

hold good whether the office was placed at Cuthbert, Eyre or Mantario and he would be willing to take his chance with the other applicants for the position when the new office was built, should he wish to apply for it. The Council agreed that this was a fair and square attitude and satisfactory to them.

Ayes—Hawtin, Montgomery, Batty.

Nays—Dahl, Kinch, Richards, Austrum. Motion lost.

Batty—That the Municipality purchase a 40 h.p. crawler type engine on cash terms.

Amendment by Dahl.—Strike out 40 and substitute 80, and strike our "cash" and substitute "on term payments."

On the amendment—Ayes: Dahl, Austrum, Richards.

Nays: Hawtin, Batty, Kinch, Montgomery. Amendment lost.

Austrum—That the original motion be now put.

Ayes: Batty, Dahl, Austrum, Hawtin, Montgomery, Richards. Nays: Kinch.

Austrum—That the Municipality purchase a Bates engine. Amendment by Batty.—That a Cletac be purchased provided that they will supply without lights and starter and reduce the price in this way by not less than 200.00.

On the amendment: Ayes: Batty, Hawtin.

Nays: Austrum, Dahl, Kinch, Richards, Montgomery. Amendment lost.

Amendment by Montgomery.—That a Monarch be purchased.

On the amendment: Ayes: Hawtin, Montgomery, Dahl, Richards. Nays: Austrum, Kinch, Batty.

Montgomery.—That the motion as amended be put.

On the motion as amended, Ayes: Hawtin, Montgomery, Dahl, Richards. Nays: Austrum, Kinch, Batty.

The motion to purchase a Monarch 40 h.p. engine on cash terms carried.

(cont. next week)

Following the storm of last week, weather has been dry and warm and pastures and grain fields are good.

Here and There

1271. The Royal York, largest hotel and tallest building in the British Empire, will be open shortly in Toronto. It is a self-contained community having its own bank, bankers' offices, stores, power station, printing plant, recreation centre, and so on.

Gas from wells of the Bow River and South Sea, which was the south and west of Medicine Hat may provide helium gas for the British Air Ministry.

The Boy Scouts' knowledge in woodcraft may be turned to a new use in Nova Scotia where the provincial government forestry department propose to enlist their services in the planting of 1,500,000 trees to reforest 1,000 acres of land.

The Canadian Pacific has in excess of 91,000 employees and its yearly pay-roll is approximately \$125,000,000.

"The announcement by the Atlantic steamship lines of reduced rates on cabin ships coincides with the opening of an Atlantic travel season in which the cabin type of ship reaches a standard of equipment and accommodation never hitherto reached and during which more cabin ships than ever will sail to and from Europe. The advent of reduced rates also harmonizes with the policy of many world governments to abolish passport visa fees. Ocean tourist travel is quickly setting back to pre-war conditions but greatly enhanced by bigger and better ships," says William Baird, Steamship Passenger Traffic Manager, Canadian Pacific Steamships Limited.

Orders for Canadian cheese cabled from Great Britain, demonstrate its popularity overseas and the confidence placed in our grading methods according to Doctor J. A. Rudick, Dominion Dairy Commissioner, who states that British demand for Canadian cheese is at the peak.

Between four and five thousand bags of Garret wheat are being shipped from Port William to be tested by millers in Great Britain. Reports of the receipts given these samples will be available before this year's crop is ripe, government officials expect. If these prove favourable the future of this early ripening variety should be assured.

Beef grading in Canada will be established shortly under regulations framed by the Dominion Government. R. E. Hauer, chief of the cattle division of the Department of Agriculture, announced at the annual meeting of the Ontario Cattle Breeders' Association in Toronto the other day. The proposed system will be a voluntary one and will be confined to municipalities with facilities for inspection and grading at the time of the slaughter.

The aim in view is the stabilizing of the market and the breeding of better cattle.

Every year the Canadian Pacific spends about \$2,000,000 in maintaining its services and Canada's industrial and tourist attractions throughout the world.

In view of the present prosperity of Canada and of the Canadian Pacific, it is amusing to recall the item published in London Truth over forty-five years ago. "The Canadian Pacific Railway," it runs "has begun to yield its hands. This railway, if it be ever completed, will run through a country frost-bound for seven or eight months of the year, and will connect with the eastern part of the Dominion a province which embraces about as forbidding country as any on the face of the earth. British Columbia is a barren, cold, mountainous country that is not worth keeping. It would never have been inhabited at all unless by trappers of the Hudson Bay Company, and gold fever, not fairs, a party of adventurers there. Fifty railroads would not galvanize it into prosperity. The much-tooled Manitoba settlement will not hold out thirty years. The people who have gone there cannot stand the coldness of the winters. Men and cattle are frozen to death in numbers. It would astonish the intending settler if he knew, and those who do not believe that railroads are often mislaid for life by frostbite."

Empress SPORTS Day Wednesday, May 29th Aeroplane Flights

Pilot Johnson will make Passenger Flights in his new 1929 model DeHaviland plane

Hobby Horses and Amusements Open Ball Tournament Horseshoe Tournament Sports, etc.

Special Show—"Now We're in the Air." Big Dance at night.

Here and There

286. The contract for a new fast steamship in 1930 between Salt John and Digby, Nova Scotia, will shortly be awarded by the Canadian Pacific Railway. It has been announced by E. W. Beatty, chairman and president of the company. The ship will be of the highest standard, 340 feet in length, capable of carrying 500 passengers, and having 44 state rooms for night service. There will also be accommodation for 50 motor cars. The speed of the vessel will be 23 knots, an unusually high speed for a short trip.

The sap ran freely this spring, but it will have to go some to surpass the record for last year when there was an increase of four million pounds of maple sugar registered by government statisticians. The output was valued at over two million dollars, and Quebec headed the list of provinces as producer, followed by Ontario.

The daily pay-roll of the Canadian Pacific is \$287,000; the daily output for material and supplies is \$220,000, and the daily tax bill over \$20,000.

Prince George, Duke of Gloucester, third son of His Majesty, will early in June officially open the great Royal York Hotel of the Canadian Pacific Railway in Toronto. It has been announced by E. W. Beatty, K.C., chairman and president of the company. The building is the tallest in the British Empire, towering 22 stories above the pavement of the "Queen City."

In a recent Calgary high-school oratorical contest in English class, the finalists were from various parts of the world, including Canada, England, Germany, Poland, and Russia. Of three Edmonton candidates one was of French, one of German, and one of Scotch extraction.

Few seamen-hunting travellers have bagged as fine a prize as Vice Admiral William Jellicoe, General of Canada, who was presented with one of the finest Totem Poles on the Pacific coast during his recent cruise in the Princess Norah, latest addition to the fleet of the British Columbia coastal steamship service of the Canadian Pacific Railway. The Vice Admiral was given a warm welcome to the activities and possibilities of Vancouver Island and was much impressed by the beauty of its coastal scenery.

A party of immigrants who within a short time are expected to arrive in Montreal recently via the Canadian Pacific Express. They were rabbits—brown rabbits—sent from Germany to points in Ontario for their fur. They appeared to be none the worse for their long journey and "re-creation" published a letter effected their admiring expressions.

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CHAPTER XVIII.—Continued.

"Come in," she called. Donald followed Wainwright, his heart-beats peculiarly accelerated. For an instant he caught a glimpse of the dim interior. Then his eyes rested on Connie, sitting demurely in the corner. She wore a gingham dress of blue, with white collar and cuffs. A dark belt was fastened snugly at her slender waist. Thy high-heeled shoes peeped from below the hem of her skirt. Her beautiful hair hung down her back in a huge braid that fastened at the nape of her slim, round neck with a narrow black bow. She rose and crossed the room to meet him, her high heels making her little lithe body appear much taller. There was something fragile about her beauty, some of the colour gone from her cheeks, and just a hint of shadows under her eyes.

Donald held out his hand. "Good evening. I'm glad to see that you are better," he said awkwardly.

A slender, warm hand crept timidly into his, and his fingers closed on it gently as on a flower. He stared down at her, thrilled by her lowliness. She raised her eyes toward his bewildering long lashes slowly to his face. With a sudden leaping of his heart, Donald realized that he was in love.

They talked decorously while Connie sat timidly on the edge of the uncomfortable chair. She could not feel at ease in the high, narrow dress and the enveloping skirts. And as she essayed to cross the rough door with an assumed air of ease, her ankle turned and she would have fallen had not Donald caught her in his arms.

As he raised her to her feet she blushed furiously, and he noticed how could feel the warm beating of her heart. With an embarrassed apology, she slipped from him, crossed to the table and lighted a candle. And presently he took his leave. Wainwright walking with him down the darkening trail.

"Wainwright was in one of his brooding moods. For a few minutes he was silent. As they neared the cliff he spoke.

"After witnessing my daughter's distress the morning of the race I am afraid that you feel harshly toward me for allowing her to be placed in such a humiliating position. You have been exceedingly kind to me; therefore, I feel that I should relate the circumstances which have placed me in my present position. As I told you that day, I have allowed my pride to withhold from my daughter her inherited rights. I will be as brief as possible.

Guard Against FLU

Sore Throat The First Warning.

Few families will escape. This epidemic constitutes a real danger. Health authorities everywhere warn the public of the danger of the common cold. "Flu" usually starts with sore throat. Unless the germs are killed by some antibiotic treatment a serious malady may develop.

A simple treatment is to gargle the throat three times daily with Nerville. The antiseptic properties of Nerville quickly destroy the germs in the throat. Of course if the chest is sore Nerville should be rubbed over the affected area—lots of rubbing—it can't burn a blister, but will bring out the congestion and break up the cold. To prevent "flu" or colds from gaining headway Nerville will prove most effective. It is hardly necessary to point out that the bowels should be stimulated, and the system purged of all waste materials. For this purpose Dr. Hamilton's Pile is recommended. This combination treatment of Nerville and Dr. Hamilton's Pile will prove a very satisfactory prevention for Grippe, Flu, etc.

"My father, who took great pride in the family name, planned a political career for me even from the day of my birth. By natural taste and inclination I was quite unfitted for public life. I must have been a great trial to him, as from early boyhood I evinced a great love for the study of botany and ornithology. He would go into a rare study when he found me in the garden watching flowers under a microscope or stalking birds in the shrubbery.

"At college I was not a success, either socially or in my class. Always of a retiring nature, I did not enter social life or college sports, and the course of study set for me by my father bored me extremely.

"During my third year at college I met Connie's mother. Until that time no woman had entered my life, although my father had hinted his plans for my marriage as soon as I had finished my course.

"To me any flower shop, however small, acted as a magnet. One day I stood gazing in the window of a tiny florist's shop on the Strand. A girl was kneeling among the flowers, and as she lifted her head our eyes met. She was like a golden lily. Her hair was like Connie's hair, and the blue eyes were the blue of the pansies she held in her hand. And her name was Constance."

He paused for an instant.

"Her father, who had been a rector in a small parish in the south of England, died just previous to our meeting, leaving his motherless child without a kins or kin. Left I weary I may say briefly that we were married. My father would not even grant me a licence to marry. He was saying that marrying as I had done had barred me forever from his door. I did not care. I was happy—completely, supremely happy. I was a small estate bequeathed to me by my mother, and we set out for British Columbia.

"My strength of heart seemed to have gone from him. The utter remembrance he had voiced had brought a look of one who is agitated to his face. He stood staring mutely before him.

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from overwork and lack of food. I wrote to him in a black rage a letter that must have scorched his soul. For four years I eked out a miserable existence in the City. My health broke down again, and my doctor warned me that I must get to a higher altitude. I learned of this place, turned everything into cash, and came here, bringing Connie with me.

"My sole income has been derived from writing articles on Nature for the newspapers and magazines. Several of my father's friends had advised me to write for England tomorrow. Wainwright had dropped listlessly as he concluded his story. All energy of strength of heart seemed to have gone from him. The utter remembrance he had voiced had brought a look of one who is agitated to his face. He stood staring mutely before him.

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Recipes For This Week

(By Betty Barclay)

SLICED LEMON PIE

- 1 1/2 lemons.
- 2 eggs.
- 1/4 cup sugar.
- 1/4 cup water.
- 1 tablespoon melted butter.
- 1/2 teaspoon salt.

Grate the rind of one lemon. Peel white part from lemons and slice the pulp very thin, discarding seeds. Beat eggs until light, add sugar gradually, then grated rind, water, butter, salt and lemon slices. Bake between two crusts. Do not bake over 450 degrees. After 10 minutes reduce heat to moderate (350 degrees) and continue baking 30 minutes longer.

SALMON TURNOVERS

Chop fine one can salmon and one hard-boiled egg. Stir half a teaspoon moistened cornstarch in half a cup milk over low fire. When thickened, mix in salmon, one tablespoon butter and season. Cool. Make a rich pie crust, and cut the turnovers with a saucer upside down. Wet edges with cold water. Put a good tablespoon of salmon mixture on half of crust, fold over other half and press well together. Cut small slits on top, brush with milk and bake in quick oven.

No need to suffer with corns, or to run the risk of paring them. Remove them surely and painlessly with Holloway's Corn Remover.

Flames From the Sun

Sometimes Reach Height Of Half a Million Miles

Flames leap outwards from the surface of the sun at the rate of 20,000 miles a minute and sometimes reach a height of half a million miles, says Dr. Ferdinand Ellerman of Mount Wilson Observatory, California. When these "prominences" were first noted, during a complete eclipse, early astronomers were divided as to whether they belonged to the sun or the moon. In 1669, Sir J. N. Lockyer, the astronomer, found he could observe them by a spectroscopic without waiting for an eclipse, and proved that they came from the sun. It was not until studying these tongues of flame that he became convinced of the existence of helium.

"May I call on you?" "I'm sorry, but I'm married." "Yes, I'm married and just as sorry."

Minard's Liniment prevents Flu.

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Selling Furniture

From Nelson's Ship

Three Pieces From Cabin To Be Disposed Of

Three pieces of furniture which Nelson used in his cabin in the Victory, and which today occupy their former position in the old battleship at Portsmouth, are to be sold by their owner.

The furniture consists of a mahogany dining table (which had folding leaves), sideboard, and wine cooler.

According to the description affixed in the cabin, the furniture was used by W. Wilkinson, of Ludgate Hill, in 1800.

When Nelson's body was being brought to England, the Victory put back into Fleet Bay, Gibraltar, and the furniture was put ashore, where it is believed to have been secretly sold by one of Nelson's servants. In 1862 it was bought by the grandfather of the present owner, who lent it to the Victory in October last.

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Real Thrillers

The teacher had been talking about books. "And what are your favorite books, Jackie?" she asked a young hopeful near the bottom of the class. "Cookery books, Miss," was the astonishing reply.

"Cookery books!" echoed the teacher. "Why?"

"Because they are so full of stirring incidents!"

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Record Of Juvenile Wonder

Boy Born In 1721—Possessed Most Unnatural Ability

Old records cite the case of one juvenile wonder named Christian Heinicke, born in 1721, at Dubuck, who at the age of ten months could speak and repeat every word said to him. At twelve months he knew the Pentateuch. In his second year he learned most of the Bible—Old and New Testaments. In his third year he talked history and geography. In his fourth year he mastered French. He was taken to Copenhagen before the King and proclaimed a wonder. He died June 7, 1725, from a weak constitution.

Many mothers can testify to the virtue of Mother's Own Tablets. For example, he was taken to Copenhagen before the King and proclaimed a wonder. He died June 7, 1725, from a weak constitution.

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WORLD HAPPENINGS BRIEFLY TOLD

Prince Henry of Prussia, brother of the former Kaiser, died recently of pneumonia.

Great Lodovskoy, a Viennese pianist, claimed a world record for continuous piano playing when he stopped seventy-five hours and fifty-five minutes after he began.

The German stand on reparations trends toward a new war. George Clemenceau, time premier of France, said in an interview published in the Echo de Paris.

Financial conditions in the British West Indies are not very good at the present time, owing to the low price for sugar, according to Flight Hon. T. A. Aglin, P.C., chief justice of Canada.

A special train recently carried 170 prisoners from Portsmouth penitentiary, Kingston, to penitentiaries of Western Canada. Sixty prisoners were consigned to the provincial penitentiary of Manitoba and the remainder went to Saskatchewan.

Ching Ming King, Chinese, convicted on a charge of unlawfully importing opium into Canada, was sentenced to six years in the penitentiary by Mr. Justice D. McDonald, presiding at the spring session of the Nanaimo assizes.

An application by the Canadian attorney-general's representative to the privy council to fix June 17 as the date for hearing of an appeal concerning the validity of the Indian fisheries act was opposed on behalf of the provinces of British Columbia and Quebec.

Preceded because of asserted refusal by American immigration officials at Vancouver, B.C., Sir Isham-urath Tagore, noted Hindi poet and philosopher, declined to leave his ship, the liner Taho Maru when he docked at San Francisco on route to Japan.

Increase In Gold Supply

Was Greater By Sixty-One Million Than Amount Mined In 1928

Gold holdings in the United States at the end of 1928 were reported by the federal reserve system in the April issue of its bulletin to have been 37.6 per cent of the world's total, which amounted to \$9,981,000,000.

The total gold supply was compiled from reports transmitted to the board from 40 countries and shows that the increase in gold of \$46,000,000 in a year was greater than the amount of gold mined during the year by about \$61,000,000. The increase was made, the report said, even though about \$80,000,000 was absorbed by Great Britain and an unknown amount taken away for industrial consumption.

The heaviest of an average man weigh twenty-five pounds.



When Pain Comes

What many people call indigestion very often means excess acid in the stomach. The stomach nerves have been over-stimulated, and food rots. The corrective is in Alabastine, which neutralizes excess acidity. And the best Alabastine known to medical science is Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People. In the 20 years since its invention, it has been the standard for all ailments.

Airplane On Submarine

Big Innovation Has Been Added To Italy's Newest Craft

Italy's largest and best equipped submarine, the Franco Tosi, has been launched at the dockyards at Taranto, Italy. The submarine has two 3,000 horsepower Diesel engines of special designs which can be used separately or together, and which give a surface speed of 20 miles an hour. Two electric motors of 1,000 horsepower each propel the submarine at a speed of ten miles an hour under water.

The submarine's artillery is one anti-aircraft gun and several machine guns. The submarine is to carry a seaplane in a large tube adjoining the turret, a big innovation in submarine technique. The tube is able to resist over 300-foot depth water pressure.

THESE SIMPLE RULES MAKE TEETHING EASY

Be careful of baby's diet during teething. Do not overfeed him. Watch his stomach and bowels and at the first sign of indigestion, gas or constipation, give him a few drops of the safe, reliable, and effective Castoria. These simple rules are making teething easy on millions of babies and mothers, too. For over thirty years Castoria has been the trusted standby of mothers everywhere. It soothes wakeful, cross babies to sleep quickly and easily—and it's purely-vegetable so you can give it as often as needed. It does the work of castor oil better and more gently. For your protection, the bottle of genuine Castoria always bears the Fletcher signature.

Draws Attention To Peace River District

Has Room For 2,000,000 People Says

Major-General A. D. McTear will again draw the attention of parliament to the colonizing possibilities of the Peace River country. His visit to that area last year has more than confirmed his previously expressed opinion that 2,000,000 people could find homes for 400,000 farms of 240 acres each. General McTear will urge greater railway facilities, modern methods of preparation of soil and a national colonization and settlement policy extending over ten years.

Minerals In Alberta

Alberta is famous for its vast resources of coal, for the rapid development of its oil and gas resources, and for the extent of its unique deposits of bituminous sands.

The oldest steamship in the world is said to be the barque "Constance," built in 1723, and now in use as a training ship at Copenhagen.

Canada's Forest Products

One freight car in every six in Canada is loaded with forest products.



These are youthful British settlers coming under the auspices of the British Immigration and Colonization Association. They are seen listening to a few words of welcome before they landed in Canada this spring from the Anchor-Lineship "Liner," "Athens."

Cleaning Metals

Brass and copper require the same treatment, and any good patent cleaner may be used. Most directions advise that the polish be allowed to dry and the metal then polished with a soft cloth, but better results will be obtained if the metal is washed to remove all polish and given a final rub with a paste of rottenstone and saw lined oil.

Ornamental metal pieces are often given a lacquer treatment which eliminates frequent cleaning. The metal is polished but the rottenstone and oil rubbed out. The metal is wiped with denatured alcohol before the application of the lacquer. Two coats of the lacquer are better than one, and half an hour should be allowed between them. The lacquer may be used on exterior metal work but it will need renewing often in that case.

When another cleaning is needed, the lacquer should be removed with denatured alcohol and hot water. Soak the lacquer in hot water and it will come off easily.

Pewter is cleaned with a very fine abrasive. Steel wool No. 60 and soap, or a paste of rottenstone and oil may be used. After cleaning, wash in hot soap suds and polish with a soft cloth.

A coarse abrasive should not be used on nickel-plated brass. When the nickel is worn off there is nothing to be done but to have the metal replated. Nickel faucets should be washed with hot soap suds and kept as dry as possible. It is a good plan to use paper napkins to dry faucets when tidying up.

If the nickel needs more than washing, use a prepared nickel polish or a fine friction soap. Finish by washing and drying.

Aluminum may be cleaned with hot soap suds, fine steel wool and soap, or a fine friction powder.

When metal, including cloths should be rinsed and hung up to dry quickly.

If food has burned on the bottom of a can, use a concentrated solution of washing soda to stand in overnight.

Glass should be cleaned with steel wool.

It is well to wear rubber gloves when cleaning metal as the hands play havoc with hands and finger nails.

The Care Of Books

Many women who take beautiful care of their clothing and their kitchen utensils, their linen closets and their refrigerators, are careless about those choicest treasures of the home—the books. We are all apt to stick books away in bookcases or on open shelves and forget all about them except to whisk an occasional dusting along the fronts of the shelves.

Books need just as much care as rugs, household linens, and fine leather shoes, if they are to enjoy long life and keep their shape and their freshness. Dust accumulates on book shelves almost more quickly than anywhere else in the house, or at least it seems to, perhaps because there are so many edges exposed to the sweeping dust particles.

The light wood or feather dusting brush should be used daily, and at least once a month, every book in the house should have individual care. Take it down and wipe off the cover and the tops and sides of the pages. Many little-used books have a yellowed edge of dust along each page, which could be avoided if they were wiped off frequently. If you have choice leather-bound books in your collection, whether sheepskin, calf, or morocco, give them a light coating of pure neatfoot oil once a year, to preserve the leather.

Keep all books out of the direct rays of the sun. This dries out the glue and tends to loosen the binding and will ultimately fade all of the colored cloth covers. Another way to keep books in good condition is to see that they stand upright at all times, whether between the book ends or on the shelves. A book tipped sideways gets its covers pushed out of shape and tends to come apart. If books do not support each other by standing close together, a small Japanese book may be inserted between them and there on the shelves.

The planned new book is opened has much to do with its future health. By opening a few pages at a time and gently pressing them back, the backs will not be broken nor will the glue and tend to come apart. A book that is grabbed and crunched open violently may be permanently injured.

Alberta's Fish Catch

Though agriculture is the largest industry in Alberta as it is for Canada as a whole, the province has several other industries of great value. Among these are the fisheries. A recent official report discloses that fish to the value of \$870,428 were caught in the lakes and rivers of Alberta in the 12 months ended March 31, 1929. Among the varieties of fish caught, white fish headed the list with a total catch of 2,733,000 pounds, trout was second with 1,857,100 pounds and pickerel third with 824,500 pounds. The larger part of the catch is exported to the United States.

Make Your Priming Coat

By a primary coat is meant the first, or primary, coat of paint or varnish on any surface of wood, metal or plaster. The first object of the priming coat is to stop most of the suction, present to a great extent in wood and plaster, so that the finishing coats will stand out with a uniform degree of gloss, or, in the case of flat-wall paint, with a uniform degree of flatness.

In this connection, please note that no such uniformity can be obtained until the porous nature of the surface, or suction, has been satisfied. In the case of metal surfaces the degree of suction, or porosity, is far less noticeable; therefore, such surfaces will naturally call for a different priming treatment.

The second object to be aimed at in the first class priming coat is a proper degree of penetration of the face, so that the paint will to the greatest possible extent become a part of the surface—not merely so much pigment and oil spread out on top of, and insecurely bound to, the surface.

Bearing these objects in mind, the salesman will readily understand that a thick priming coat cannot possibly be a good priming coat. Why? Take the first object outlined above. If a thick priming coat is applied on wood or plaster the porous nature of the surface will suck away most of the oil from the paint, which, mind you, needs just this quota of oil to bind it and form a good film. The result is, that instead of having stopped the suction, you have merely superimposed another surface, porous in nature because it has been deprived of too much oil and insecurely bound to the surface for the same reason—and that also kicks the props from under our second support—the second object.

So we arrive at the natural and logical conclusion that priming coats on wood and plaster must be thin coats—it is almost impossible to get them too thin. If a priming coat can be said to be too thin, such a claim can only be advanced from the covering or hiding viewpoint—a defect which is equally remedied by an additional coat. But if too thick it

priming coat is applied, a dozen coats will not cover up the blunder, because it will be exposed by the almost inevitable result—peeling of the paint from the surface.

When in doubt — thin priming coats.

Literature On Farming

Some Must Turn Deaf Ear To Educational Matter Supplied

When one reads of the poor methods that are used in farming by a number of men who are engaged in that profession, one is tempted to wonder whether the enormous amount of educational matter that is being run from presses and the multi-graphs by the department of agriculture is reaching the proper quarters, or whether the farmer turns a deaf ear to the good advice and goes on with his dirty seed, his scrub herd, his rusty shoats and his unpromising poultry run, out of sheer carelessness.

Tallest Building

Construction has begun on the Marine Building in Vancouver, which, when completed, will be the tallest building in Canada west of Toronto, towering 18 stories above the northwest corner of Burrard and Hastings Streets.

Dean (to Frosh): "Do you know I am?"

Frosh: "No, I don't, but if you can remember your address, I'll take you home."

"Have faith in your fellow man," says a paragonist. But be sure you get his signature on the dotted line.

From the extreme south point of Texas due north to the headwaters of the United States, the air line is about 1,600 miles.

It would cost more than \$200,000,000 to duplicate the Great Wall of China, engineers estimate.

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CHAPTER XVIII.—Continued

Donald's head ached for his wife was whose great love for his wife was as passionate at this moment as when she was living. "How he loved her!" he thought.

When Wainwright spoke again his voice was spiritless. "You are the first person to whom I have spoken of my past; even Constance does not know." As he turned to leave Donald gripped his hand in silence, but with a pressure eloquent of heart-felt sympathy.

Andy had noticed Donald's increasing interest in Connie and had vainly refrained from accompanying him on his nightly visits. On this particular night Donald came into the kitchen whistling a lively air, his face wreathed in smiles. He slipped Andy heartily on the back as he asked him for a lunch. His gaiety was so pronounced that Andy studied him closely.

"You look 'appy, Donnie," he remarked.

"I am, Andy; I'm the happiest man in the world."

He finished eating, then sat staring dreamily at the smoke of his cigarette as it circled about his head. Andy discussed lightly on various subjects, but Donald did not seem to hear him. After he left Andy heard him singing merrily in his cabin.

"Strike me pink, but I do go Donnie has waked up! What a pair, what a pair!" he said to himself.

In the morning Donald rode north on the gas-car to the scene of logging operations near the upper lake. He left orders with the men to bring Wainwright's baggage to the station. What Connie's absence would mean was brought forcibly to him as he met the trapper leading Pegau and her pet deer down the trail to his cabin.

"Two hours later Connie and her father stood on the station platform.

Connie was dressed in an inexpensive blue suit, and wore a neat blue hat with a jaunty feather. Her golden hair was piled high in loops and curls that held a sheen of brightness like the shine of metal where the sun touched it. She appeared mystified and confused as the time for the train to pull out drew near. Andy, standing by her side, cursed softly as he saw her looking toward him with a look of profound disappointment in her eyes.

"Donald! 'ad to go up the line, Connie, nice guess something 'as 'appened," he murmured.

At that moment Donald was hearing approbation on a recalcitrant gas-car that had died on his hands. The conductor called "All aboard!" Connie turned to Andy. "Good-bye, Donnie," she said sweetly, her eyes swimming with tears.

Andy took her gloved hand. "Good-bye, Connie," he returned, attempting a brave smile. "When are you coming back?"

"Maybe never." She choked as she stumbled up the car steps.

As the train started to move Connie came to the rear platform. A small, pathetic figure she seemed to Andy as she strained her eyes to follow the north in a vain hope that she would see Donald. Andy stood in the centre of the track waving his hat until the flutter of Connie's little handkerchief vanished around a curve.

As the train roared through the cut, the last view of her loved valley flashed before her eyes. Her face strangely white, she clung to the brass rail and gazed with tearful eyes at the only home she had ever known.

As they passed the trapper's cabin the noise of the rushing train sent Pegau galloping madly about the pasture. With flying hoofs that tore up the sod he circled around the field, then came to the fence and with his beautiful head held high on the spread neck he looked with startled eyes at the speeding train.

With a gesture intensely eloquent, Connie flung out her arms. "Good-bye, Peggy! Good-bye!" she said, her face white with her hands.

Donald flung himself from the gas-car before it had ceased moving. "Train gone, Andy!" he shouted.

Andy stood with arms folded. "Gone?" he yelled, "of course it's gone. Why 'il 'it want you 'er 'er?"

"It had to go up the line to look over some logs, and the car broke down," he replied Donald bitterly.

"Of course," Andy with withering sarcasm, "the timber couldn't 'ave waited another day."

"Andy," asked Donald excitedly, ignoring the remark, "did Connie leave you her address?"

"Why the hell should she give me 'er address? 'Aven't you 'er address?" was Andy's unaccommodating reply.

"I haven't, I know that she is going to go to England, and that is all."

Donald sat down dejectedly.

Andy's face softened. "Do you like Connie?" he queried.

"Like her? I love her!"

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"I haven't, I know that she is going to go to England, and that is all."

Donald sat down dejectedly.

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PIMPLES, RASH, BOILS, ECZEMA, etc.

Milk Exports

Canada exported over nine million dollars worth of milk and its products for the twelve months ended February 28, 1929, an increase of three million dollars over the previous corresponding 12 months.

A GREAT PUZZLE TO CAREFUL PARENTS

One of the careful puzzles to the careful parent is to know just what medicine to give his little child. When the child falls ill with griping pains, or has a fever, or is restless, or refuses food or vomits what he has taken, when he cries a great deal and cannot get the sleep so necessary to the growing child, the parent is in a quandary. What is to be done on such occasions? As often as not there is not a suitable medicine in the house. The puzzle is what to give him to set him right quickly.

It is to meet such emergencies that Baby's Own Tablets were devised. These pleasant little Tablets quickly reduce fever, break up colds, relieve constipation and indigestion, and allay teething pains. They quiet the nerves and promote restful health-restoring sleep. They are guaranteed absolutely harmless and safe for even the youngest and most delicate baby.

Baby's Own Tablets are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Rockville, Ont.

Lobster Industry in Canada

Lobstering is a distinctive industry. In 1928, there were three lobster canneries on the Atlantic coast of Canada; in 1927 the canneries numbered 128, and gave work to 6,250 people; 20,000,000 lobsters is a normal catch.

An Oil For All Men.—The sailor, the soldier, the fireman, the lumberman, the oil-driller, the miner, and all who are exposed to injury and the elements will find in Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil a true and faithful friend. It cures colds, relieves colds, drowsy wounds, soothes lumbago and overcomes rheumatism. It is excellent. Therefore, it should have a place in all home medicine boxes and be amongst those taken on a journey.

New Author: Could you use my story if I were to tell it to you?

Editor: No chance. But down a gallon of water to a pint and it would still be water, would it?

Little Helps For This Week

"I know the thoughts that I think toward you, saith the Lord, thoughts of peace and not of evil, to give you an expected end."—Jeremiah xxix. 11.

His perfect plan I may not grasp; Yet I can trust Love Infinite. And with my feeble fingers clasp The hand which leads me to the light.

My soul upon His errand goes; The end I know not, but God knows.

Every human soul has a complete and perfect plan cherished for it in the heart of God—a divine biography marked out which it enters into life to live. This life, rightly unfolded, will be a complete and beautiful whole, an experience led on by God and unfolded by His secret nurture, as the tree and the flowers by the secret nurture of the world. We live in the divine thought. We fill a place in the great, everlasting plan of the intelligence. We never met below His care, never drop out of His counsel.—Horace Bushnell.

Weather Hints The List

Stratford Editor Finds It Most Widespread

What is the most read section of a newspaper? Sports writers will tell their page; editorial men will press the claims of the editorial page; reporters will be certain to assert that they have first place with local stories, while we have no doubt that the lady editor will be quick to claim precedence for the women's page.

All wrong. One day last week the weather, through an error, was left out of the paper, and we had more calls over the omission of that little item than anything else that has ever happened.

An Oil That Is Prized Everywhere.—Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil was put upon the market without any flourish over fifty years ago. It was put up to meet the wants of a small section, but as soon as its merits became known it had a whole continent for a field, and it is now known and prized throughout this continent. There is nothing equal to it.

Preservation Of Eskimo

Tribute was paid to the Dominion Government, the Royal Canadian Mounted Police and the Hudson's Bay Company, for the splendid work being done for the preservation and the well-being of the Eskimo, by Ven. Archbishop A. L. Fleming, appointed recently to take charge of Anglican mission work in the Arctic.

Minard's Liniment—good for tired feet.

Many railways in Germany are being electrified.



It's folly to suffer long when you can get relief so quickly. When relief is swift and sure, thanks to Aspirin, the most famous medical profession has been known to mankind. It does not affect the heart. Take it for toothache, headache, neuralgia, rheumatism, or for a sore throat or tonsillitis. Painless directions for use are given in every package. Every great name today has genuine Aspirin which is readily identified by the name on the box and the Bayer cross on every tablet.

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Capital Invested In Irrigation

Construction costs of ten major irrigation projects, now operating in southern Alberta, amount to about \$21,500,000, or an average cost of approximately \$31 per acre for the area of slightly more than one million acres.

Corns cripple the feet and make walking a torture, yet sure relief in the shape of Holloway's Corn Remover is within reach of all.

Floorwalker (rebounding assistant for contracting a customer); Miss Jones, remember, in this establishment the customer is always right.

Miss Jones: "Well, sir, she said you were an old shark."

COMPLEXION IMPROVED QUICKLY

Look! It's BeAlvet
Get rid of that nasty, sallow, blemished complexion! Instead of spending many dollars on face creams and skin lotions, buy a 25c box of Carter's Little Liver Pills and remove the constipation poison. Your skin will be quickly cleared, and your health improved. All Druggists \$25c and 75c red packages.

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Thursday, May 23 1929

Turn to centre page for other
local news and advertising.

To-morrow, May 24th, is Victoria Day.

Empress Sports Day, next
Wednesday, May 29.

Empire Shopping Week, May
25 to June 1st.

Local stores are closing at
10 o'clock on Friday.

W. R. Brodie returned from
his trip to Ontario, Tuesday.

The Empress ball team are
taking part in the tournament
at Alton on the 24th.

Mrs. Barnes, left on Tuesday
for Calgary and is driving home
by auto.

Leo Sims has purchased the
former M. L. Hildert residence
and is preparing to move this
house to his farm south-
west of town.

The job residence which is
at present occupied by Mr and
Mrs. N. Bassett and family
has been purchased by Mr. W.
Stothers. He is having the
house set on cement walks and
a cement water system built.

Pilot Johnson will be at Em-
press on May 29, with his new
semi-rigid aeroplanes, 1929 model
Deltavland. He was here
today making arrangements.
Passenger flights will be made.

Between March 22nd and
May 6th this year, the Alberta
Wheat Pool has purchased 22
local elevators and has 41 new
elevators under construction.
The new elevators being built
are 35,000 and 40,000 bushels
capacity, and the majority of
those purchased are of 30,000
bushels capacity. The addition
of these houses brings the total
elevators owned by the Alberta
Pool to 381.

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Phone No. 9

Mr. J. N. Anderson received
the sad news on Wednesday
morning of the death of his
mother. He left this morning
for the home of his parents.
Sympathy is expressed with
him in his bereavement.

Here and There

A fine steel piano wire runs now
1264 miles from Newfoundland to
the Azores. This is not to provide
the merrymade with strings for their
burns, but to measure exactly the
distance between the two points.
A cable was laid recently and it
was impossible to otherwise deter-
mine the precise distance travelled
by the cable-laying ship.

Travelers aboard the Canadian
Pacific Railway's crack summer
flyer, the Trans-Canada Limited,
will be surprised this year to find
colourful upholstery, green tiled
bathrooms, sofas, armchairs, glasses
in conservatory and other unusual
features. Special sleeping, dining,
and lounge-solarium cars have
been designed and built at the
company's Montreal Avenue shops
for this de luxe transcontinental
train, which will be one of the
fastest and finest long distance
trains in the world.

Construction of the 18-storey
Marine Building on the corner of
Burrard and Hastings streets, in
Vancouver, has begun. When com-
pleted this will be the tallest
building west of Toronto, where
the greatest building, the new Royal
York Hotel, of the C. P. R., is 23
storeys in height.

For Sale

3-Burner Oil Stove in good condition.
Enquire at Empress Express.

For Sale

One DeLaval Cream Separator, will
sell cheap. Enquire at "Empress
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Stayed on at my farm, August 1928.
One light brown mare, branded 1 left
thigh, white stripe down forehead, two
white hind fetlocks, age about eight
years, weight about 1100 lbs. If no
owner after 10 days, I will sell the
mare will be sold according to the
Stray Domestic Animals Act.—Ernest Hansen,
Camden.

For Sale

200 bus. of Banner Oats, Sweet Clover
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Alive. Leghorns, \$18.00 per 100; An-
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